

CSWC Operational Period Summary

0600 August 14 2014 to 1800 August 14 2014



Downed Power Lines in Needles, San Bernardino County. Photo Credit: Micah Escamilla, The Sun

SITUATION SUMMARY

Governor Brown Declares State of Emergency for Northern California Wildfires

On 08/02/14, Governor Brown issued an emergency proclamation for the state of California due to the effects of wildfires in El Dorado, Amador, Butte, Humboldt, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Mendocino, Modoc, Shasta, and Siskiyou counties that have burned thousands of acres, destroyed homes and other structures and damaged critical infrastructure.

Cal OES Activations Due to Wildfires

- Cal OES Fire EOC is activated in support of statewide fires.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2, Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1

State Agency Activations Due to Wildfires

- The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) remains activated the Medical Health Coordination Center (MHCC) at Duty Officer status.

Inland Region

Inland Region is coordinating with Recovery staff and Counties of Modoc, Lassen, Shasta and Siskiyou to enter Initial Damage Estimate information into Cal EOC. Tentative dates for FMAG briefings are August 27 & August 28

Cal OES / CNG Mission Tasking for Additional Firefighting Capabilities

Cal OES has Mission Tasked the California National Guard for additional Firefighting capabilities; current status:

2014-FIRE-4427

- 12 Type-1 Helicopters with water dropping and crew transport capability
- 4 Type-3 Helicopters with water dropping and crew transport capability
- 1 Type-1 Medivac Helicopter with hoist capability
- 1 RC-26 Fixed Wing with Infrared Flight Imagery is on order
- Today, 08/14, (4) Type-1 Helicopters and (1) Type-3 Helicopters are deactivated and in rehab for release back to the National Guard later today.

2014-FIRE-4466

- 240 Personnel to be trained for Fireline Hand Crew assignments.
- 4 personnel to support each Hand Crew.

2014-FIRE-4773, EMAC Request #774-RR-3432

New Mexico Type I fixed wing RC26 aircraft with infrared flight for imagery recording of fires. The Aircraft will be assigned to perform imagery of the areas in real time coverage in the counties of El Dorado, Placer, Nevada, Yuba, Sierra, Butte, Plumas, Tehama, Shasta, Lassen, Trinity, Modoc Humboldt, Del Norte, and Mendocino.



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SITUATION SUMMARY

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Eiler, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

12 miles southeast of Burney in the Hat Creek area

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/14/14 at 1743 hours:

SRA and FRA

- 32,416 acres timber, 90% contained (Per CAL FIRE- State DPA acres 5,063 and Federal DPA acres 27,352)
- Unified Command Type 1 IMT CAL FIRE and USFS
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 7 Single Residences, 2 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 12 Other Minor Structures
- Also destroyed, three (3) vehicles and one (1) historic post office.
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5067-FM-CA.
- An FMAG applicant briefing is scheduled for 08/27/14 at 1300 at 2486 Progress Drive, Redding, if the Eiler Fire is not contained by then.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Update)

Happy Camp District, Klamath National Forest

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/14/14 at 0733 hours:

FRA

- 1,200 acres, 10% contained
- Type 2 IC assigned
- Approximately 40 fires in the Complex
- Threatened Structures: 400 Single Residences, 2 Commercial
- Per CUEA, no threat to communication infrastructure or power lines
- Commitment of CAL FIRE air resources
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

July Complex, Siskiyou County (Update)

4 miles southeast of Sawyers Bar

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/14/14 at 1741 hours:

FRA

- 25,632 acres, 12% contained
- Federal Type 1 IMT is in command
- Threatened Structures: 142 Single Residences, 6 Nonresidential Commercial, 72 Other Minor Structures
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was received on 08/11/14 and has been placed on hold.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)



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KNF Beaver Incident, Siskiyou County (Update)

Klamath River, Beaver Creek

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/14/14 at 1701 hours:

FRA

- 32,283 acres, 60% contained
- Type 2 IMT is in command
- Threatened Structures: 175 Single Residences, 60 Nonresidential Commercial
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was received and has been placed on hold.
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Lodge Complex, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County (Update)

BLM Elkhorn Wilderness, 5 miles north of Branscomb

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/14/14 at 1747 hours:

SRA

- 12,336 acres, 60% contained
- CAL FIRE Type 1 IMT in command
- Threatened Structures: 16 Single Residences
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)

Log, Siskiyou County (Update)

6 miles west of Greenview

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/14/14 at 1750 hours:

SRA/FRA

- 3,307 acres, 55% contained
- Unified Command with CAL FIRE and Federal IMT Type 1
- Threatened Structures: 637 Single Residences, 46 Nonresidential Commercial Properties, 568 Other Minor Structures
- Evacuation Advisories: Quartz Valley (500 homes) and Scott Valley (460 homes)
- Siskiyou County EOC activated Level 1
- [See Fire Activity Section for detailed information.](#)



SITUATION SUMMARY

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA FIRES

Oregon Gulch, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Final)

Near the Community of Copco, south of the Oregon Border

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/12/14 at 2127 hours:

SRA

- 35,284 acres, 74% contained (9,464 acres in State DPA)
- Fire is part of the Beaver Complex, east of Ashland Oregon
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5068-FM-CA.
- Not actively burning in California

TGU August Cover, Tehama County (No Change)

- (5) OES Engines assigned

CNR Early August Lightening, Shasta County (No Change)

- 15 OES Engines assigned
- 10 Local Government Engines assigned

BTU August Cover, Butte County (No Change)

- (5) OES Engines assigned

Explosive materials reports, Citrus Heights, Sacramento County (Final)

At 2300 hours, the California State Warning Center was made aware of confirmed explosive materials found inside a residence that was on fire on the 7000 block of Peachtree Avenue. Fire crews noticed the materials inside the house while extinguishing the fire and notified Citrus Height Police Department. Sacramento County Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) confirmed the nature of the chemicals. Based on the unreleased nature of the chemicals, FBI and ATF were called on scene and a criminal investigation has been initiated. Eight residences on Peachtree Ave have been evacuated. No shelters needed as all of the residents were able to make other arrangements. The explosives were detonated early this morning, 8/14, with no issues reported. A suspect was identified and arrested by Citrus Heights Police Department.

SITUATION SUMMARY

City of Needles Severe Weather Incident, San Bernardino County (Update)

Situation

On Tuesday, August 12, 2014 at approximately 1630 hours a severe thunderstorm settled over the City of Needles causing flooding and wind damage. The City of Needles reported a minimum of 50 downed power lines, damage to roofs and multiple downed trees. A shelter was established at the Needles Senior Center located at 1699 Bailey Avenue. The shelter did not have any overnight residents and was closed by 1200 on August 13, 2014. Flooding caused the closure of county roads and a section of I-40 at Five Mile Station Road west to Highway 95 in the area of Needles, no anticipated time for reopening was reported. The City of Needles did not activate for this incident, the OA did not activate; and does not plan to activate. The City and OA are collecting IDE Information, damage estimates are in the area of 5 million dollars. The Southern Region is expecting to receive Proclamations from both the City of Needles and the County of San Bernardino, and damage assessments, by Friday, August 15, 2014.

- The City is currently conducting Initial Damage Estimates.
- The City did not activate for this incident and they County does not plan to activate.

Road Closures

County Road Closures

- Pahaska Trail from Rio Vista Drive to North to Lakota Court in the area of Big River, no anticipated time for reopening.
- Five Mile Station Road from I-40 west to Highway 95 in the area of Needles, no anticipated time for reopening.

State Highway Closures

- SR 62 from 2.4mi east of Twentynine Palms at Godwin Rd to the Jct of US 95 has been reopened.
- SR 177 from Jct of I-10 to the Jct of SR 62 has been reopened.

Proclamation

- A Resolution from the City of Needles, San Bernardino County due to heavy rains, flooding and adverse weather has been received requesting the Governor proclaim a State of Emergency exists in San Bernardino County, and that the County benefit from recovering costs utilizing CDAA funds, SBA and any other State or Federal funds.

The Cal OES Southern, Law, and Fire Duty Officers continue to monitor the situation and coordinate information.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Potential Japanese Tsunami Marine Debris (JTMD), Daily City, San Mateo County (New)

A potential Japanese Tsunami Marine Debris (JTMD) was discovered on Mussel Rock Beach, in Daily City, San Mateo County. The boat is on Federal Land in a National Recreation Area. Ports and Harbors facilitated a call with NOAA on 08/13 at 1530 hours. The boat is on the beach, tied to rip rap, and the hull is inundated with sand. Most of the biofouling has been removed from all but the bottom of the boat. Smithsonian personnel from Tiburon Lab collected samples and will return today, 08/14 or Friday. A geiger counter did not pick up anything. The boat is located in an area where there is difficult access and it will probably have to be dismantled in order to be removed. Coastal Region will continue to monitor the situation.

Port of Oakland Protest (No Change)

Oakland Police Department (OPD) is expecting 500-1000 demonstrators on Saturday, August 16, 2014 to protest the ships partly owned by the government of Israel. Although no law mutual aid has been requested, the Port has reached out to Alameda County Sheriffs Office (ACSO) for Law Enforcement support. The distinction is that this is a planned event and therefore not technically mutual aid. OPD is planning on having their Department Operations Center (DOC) open on Saturday. The protest is planned to occur, even if the ships cancel their arrival to the Port. Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch and the Cal OES Ports and Harbors representative continue to monitor the situation and coordinate information.

Hurricane-Tropical Storm, Hawaii, Pacific Ocean (Update)

Current Situation:

Tropical Cyclones Iselle and Julio have dissipated; however, there are two new storms heading towards Hawaii. EMAC Team members are currently conducting advanced planning and working to procure tarps from FEMA (there are 1,000+ on the island). The EMAC Team is reaching out to EMAC partners; there is a possibility that an IMT Team will be brought in to assist with staffing in the EOC. Nothing has been requested at this time.

Activations:

Hawaii County: EOC activated; 1 shelter open

STATE: STATE EOC is Partially Activated

EMAC Deployment

2014-SOC-4699 Deployment of A Team Type I Staff

- (2) OES staff and (1) CNG departed 8/8/2014, expected to return, 08/22/14.

Significant Weather

Nothing significant to report.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

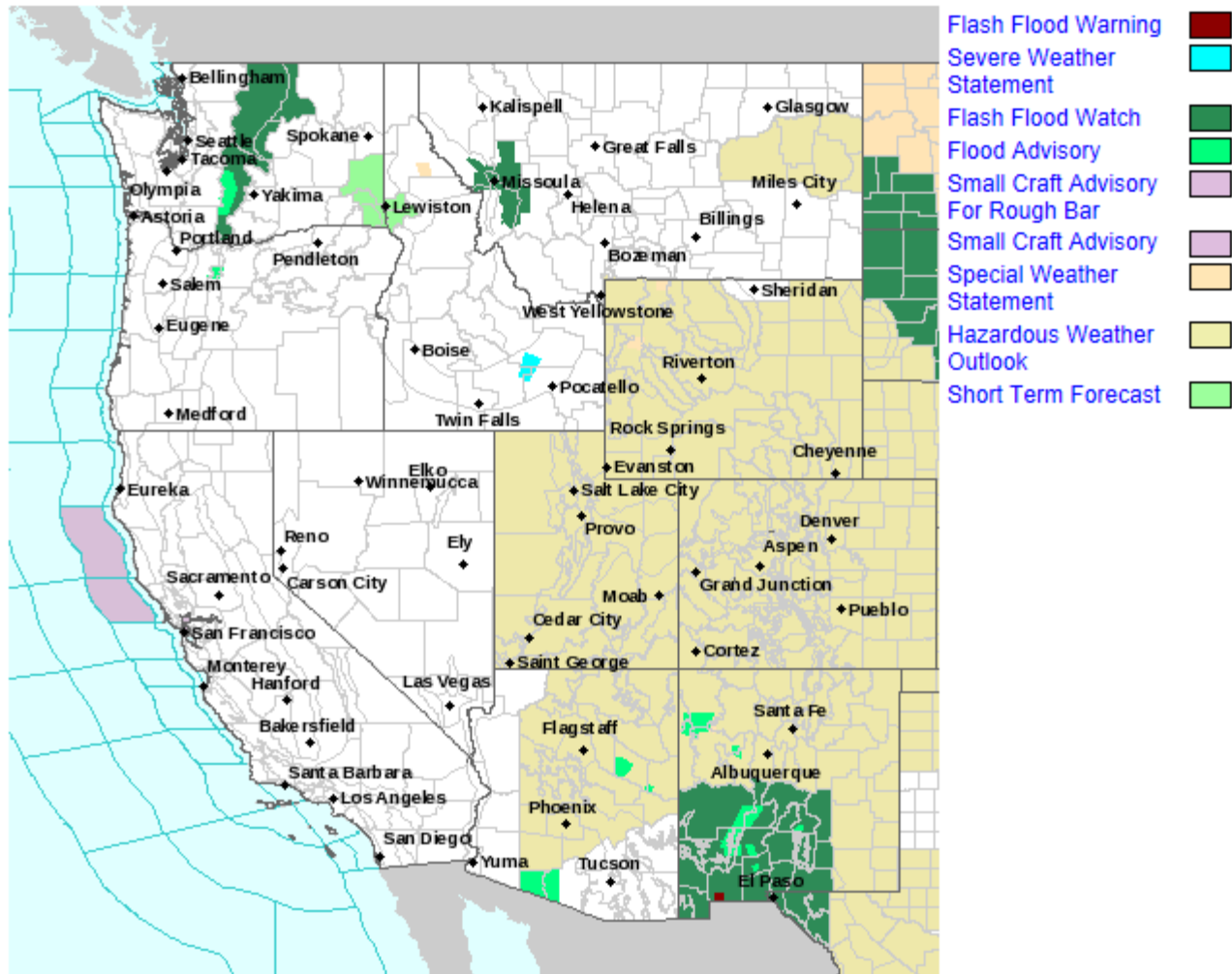
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA:

The low pressure system that brought some unsettled weather to the northern areas the past few days has moved into Oregon. Small afternoon cumulus clouds are likely over the northern mountains, otherwise today will be sunny inland and mostly sunny near the coast. Higher pressure and more stable conditions will be over portions of Northern California for the near future. A weak low develops again off the coast Sunday but appears likely to be too dry to stir up thunderstorms. So the next 7 days will most likely be thunderstorm free. However, the presence of the low may lead to dry, unstable conditions over the fires. Seasonable temperatures, relative humidity and daily winds will be very seasonable with no extremes of those expected. Afternoon temperatures will be near to below normal with the warmest inland valleys in the 90s. Winds will tend toward diurnal patterns typical of any given area. Afternoon relative humidity will drop to seasonably low readings, and some areas may develop poor to moderate relative humidity recovery, especially in the mid and upper elevations of drainages. The marine layer at the coast will persist, but daytime clearing is likely.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

It will be sunny across the region with daytime highs in the 70s and 80s in the mountains and in the 80s to low 90s across the inland valleys today. Warmer and drier weather is expected across the inland areas Friday through the weekend. It will be breezy across the higher elevations of the Sierra, as well as across the Antelope Valley today, but hereafter winds will mainly be light and variable throughout the region. Minimum humidity will be in the 15-30% range across the inland areas, with teens becoming more common over the inland areas starting Friday with fair to poor overnight recovery.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Aug, 14th 2014 at 7:54:29 pm MDT



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels:

National Preparedness Level 4

Northern California

Preparedness Level 4, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 3

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

FIRE ACTIVITY



Eiler Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County (Update)

12 miles southeast of Burney in the Hat Creek area

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of [08/14/14 at 1743](#) hours:

SRA and FRA

Fire Information

- 32,416 acres timber, [90%](#) contained (Per CAL FIRE- State DPA acres 5,063 and Federal DPA acres 27,352)
- Unified Command Type 1 IMT CAL FIRE and USFS
- Expected Containment: [08/20/2014](#)
- Threatened Structures: None
- Destroyed Structures: 7 Single Residences, 2 Commercial Properties and 12 Other Minor Structures
- Also destroyed, three (3) vehicles and one (1) historic post office.
- Continue to hold and improve direct fireline. Unburned pockets of fuel are holding "sleeper" fires which continue to be addressed and mopped up. Spot fires are occasionally surfacing which are being addressed by personnel. Fire activity within control lines is fueled mainly by the downed dead fuels and roots.
- 86 Local Government Engines assigned
- 5 OES Engines and 2 Water Tenders assigned
- The approved FMAG number is FEMA-5067-FM-CA.
- Total Personnel: [1,262](#)

Deployments

- Four (4) Cal OES PSC Radio Technicians are assigned to the incident.
- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs assigned
- One (1) Cal OES Mechanic assigned
- One (1) Cal OES ACS Staff

Mission Tasking

- **2014-IREOC-4578**, (3) Portable E-BAM Smoke Monitors deployed on 08/04 to Lakehead, Burney, and Fall River.

Proclamations

- Shasta County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14, requesting CDAA.

Recovery

- An FMAG applicant briefing is scheduled for 08/27/14 at 1300 at 2486 Progress Drive, Redding, if the Eiler Fire is contained by then.



Eiler Incident, Vegetation Fire, Shasta County



FIRE ACTIVITY



Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Update)

Happy Camp District, Klamath National Forest

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of [08/14/14 at 0733 hours](#):

FRA

- [1,200](#) acres, [10%](#) contained
- [Type 2 IC assigned](#)
- Expected Containment: [08/25/2014](#)
- Approximately 40 fires in the Complex
- Threatened Structures: 400 Single Residences, 2 Commercial
- Structure threat along HWY 96
- Per CUEA, no threat to communication infrastructure or power lines
- Establish and improve control lines, going direct where possible. Defend structures, property, community infrastructure, natural and cultural resources.
- 2 Local Government and 1 Local Government Water Tender assigned
- Commitment of CAL FIRE air resources

Evacuations

- An Evacuation Advisory has been issued for residents of Happy Camp. This notice is for all residents along China grade Road from Elk Creek Road to Frying Pan Creek.

Shelters

- Red Cross at Scott Valley Jr High School, located at 237 Butte Street, Ft Jones on Standby. [For information regarding domestic pets, residents may call Jodi Aceves at 530-340-2422.](#)

Health and Medical

- [A Clean Air Respite Center is located at the Family Resource Center at 11920 Main St., Ft. Jones. It will be open during the week from 0900 – 1700 hours.](#)

Road Closures

- [China Grade Road is open to residents only.](#)

Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC activated Level 1
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2, Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.



FIRE ACTIVITY



Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County Cont. (Update)

Mission Tasking

- **2014-IREOC-4568**, (6) Portable E-BAM Smoke Monitors: (2) deployed on 8/4; (2) deployed on 8/5; (2) deployed on 8/12. The mission is ongoing and supports multiple fires within Siskiyou County.

Proclamations

- On 08/02/14, Governor Brown issued an emergency proclamation for the state of California due to the effects of wildfires in El Dorado, Amador, Butte, Humboldt, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Mendocino, Modoc, Shasta and Siskiyou counties that have burned thousands of acres, destroyed homes and other structures and damaged critical infrastructure.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Happy Camp Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County



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FIRE ACTIVITY

July Complex, Siskiyou County (Update)

4 miles southeast of Sawyers Bar

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of [08/14/14 at 0541](#) hours:

FRA

- 25,632 acres, [12%](#) contained
- Federal Type 1 IMT is in command
- Expected Containment: [08/30/2014](#)
- Threatened Structures: 142 Single Residences, 6 Nonresidential Commercial, 72 Other Minor Structures
- The primary strategy is for indirect line construction on the Whites fire and will be reflected in actual containment percentage reported when the fire reaches these indirect lines. Structure protection plans have been completed for all threatened values. The terrain is remote, very steep and results in limited ability for resources to access the fire. Management action points for evacuations have been identified. Currently assigned critical resources are timing out; including Type 1 Crews.
- 23 Local Government Engines assigned
- An FMAG was submitted on 08/11/14 and placed on hold
- Total Personnel – [1,009](#)

Evacuations

Evacuation Orders:

- [In place for the communities of: Sawyers Bar, Eddy Gulch, Little North Fork, Idlewild, Mule Bridge, Robinson Flat and Whites Gulch.](#)

Evacuation Advisories:

- [In place for the communities of: Quartz Valley, Mugginsville, Greenview, South Kidder Creek, Scott Valley communities of French Creek and Sugar Creek, Black Bear Ranch, Godfrey Ranch, and Blue Ridge Ranch.](#)

Shelters

- Red Cross at Scott Valley Jr High School, located at 237 Butte Street, Ft Jones on Standby. [For information regarding domestic pets, residents may call Jodi Aceves at 530-340-2422.](#)

Health and Medical

- [A Clean Air Respite Center is located at the Family Resource Center at 11920 Main St., Ft. Jones. It will be open during the week from 0900 – 1700 hours.](#)

Road Closures

- Sawyers Bar Road from east of Sawyers Bar to Etna.



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FIRE ACTIVITY



July Complex, Siskiyou County Cont. (Update)

Deployments

- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs assigned

Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC activated Level 1
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2, Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

Mission Tasking

- **2014-IREOC-4568**, (6) Portable E-BAM Smoke Monitors: (2) deployed on 8/4; (2) deployed on 8/5; (2) deployed on 8/12. The mission is ongoing and supports multiple fires within Siskiyou County.

Proclamations

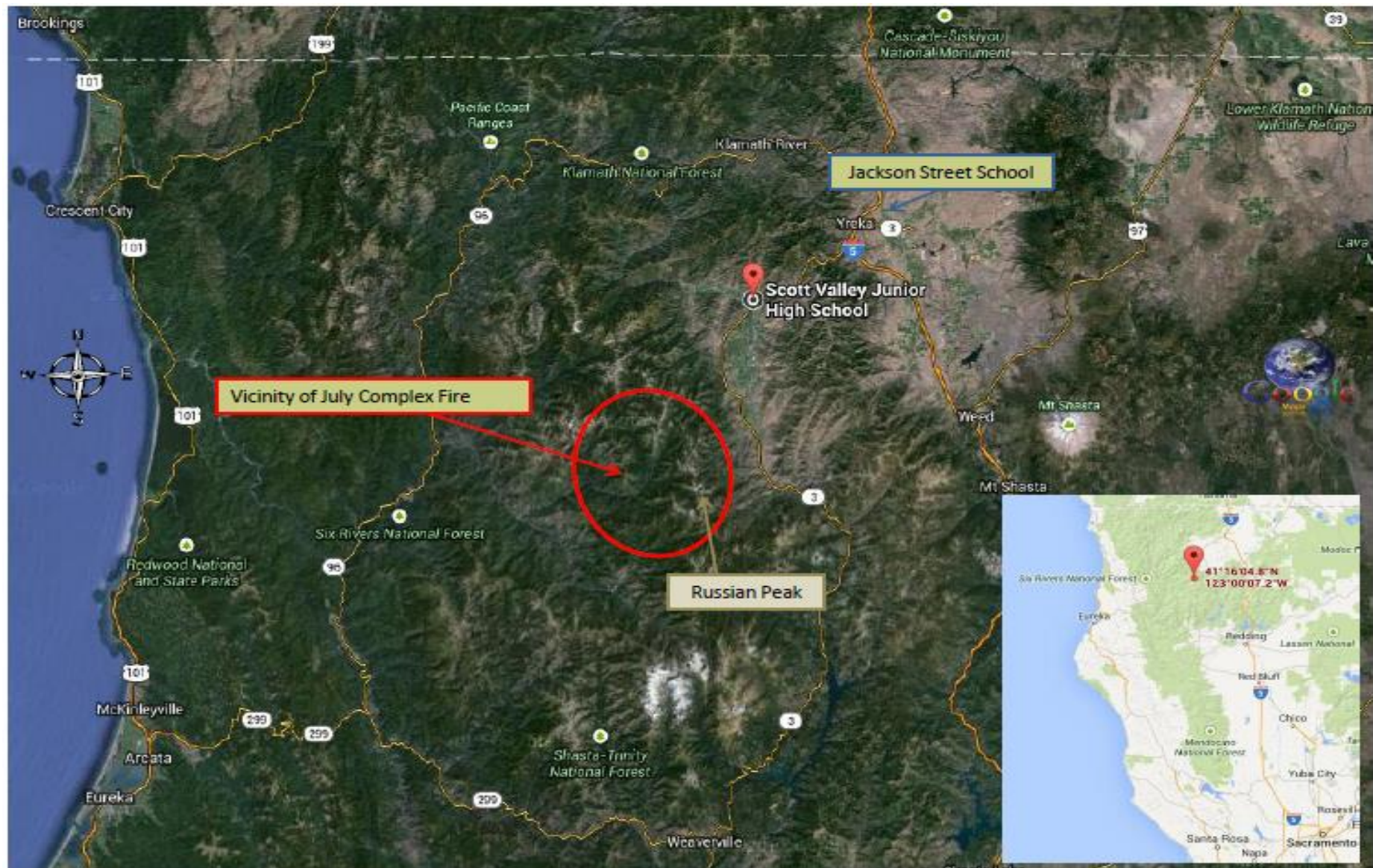
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Recovery

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is working with Siskiyou County on the IDE.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

July Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County



FIRE ACTIVITY



KNF Beaver Incident, Siskiyou County (Update)

Klamath River, Beaver Creek

Per CAL FIRE, Cal OES Duty Officers, and ICS-209 as of 08/14/14 at 1701 hours:

FRA

- 32,283 acres, 60% contained
- Type 2 IMT is in command
- Expected Containment: 08/22/2014
- Threatened Structures: 175 Single Residences, 60 Nonresidential Commercial
- Crews will continue to work on construction of indirect and direct containment lines west of Buckhorn Ridge and picking up spot fires as conditions allow. Divisions P, Q, T and U will continue to improve line construction, firing out when conditions allow and increase mop up where applicable. Point protection will still be needed for structure defense along Hwy 96 corridor west of Oak Knoll Work Center to Deer Creek drainage. An IA task force is available should new starts occur from forecasted dry lightning.
- 53 Local Government Engines assigned
- 10 OES Engines assigned
- A Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) was received on 08/11/14 and has been placed on hold.
- Total Personnel – 1,348

Evacuations

- The Siskiyou County Sheriff's Office (SCSO) has lifted the Mandatory Evacuation and has issued an Evacuation Advisory for residents of Horse Creek, Highway 96, Oak Knoll at Walker Creek Connecting Road, to Horse Creek which includes Bar Road, Horse Creek Road, Road 46N50, Middle Creek Ranch Road, Road 8 and 12, Buckhorn Creek, Walker Road Klamath River School, Cherry Maple Road, Kohl Creek, Oak Bar, and Doggett Creek.
- The SCSO has also lifted the Mandatory Evacuation and Evacuation Advisory for the area of Highway 96 from Oak Knoll at Walker Creek Connecting Road to Gottville which includes Beaver Creek Road, Road 48N01, Lumgreys Creek, Empire Creek, Road 48N06, Woodchopper Gulch and Gottville River Access and Township of Klamath River. Residents are able to return to their home.
- A community meeting has been scheduled for 08/14/14 at 1900 hours at the Klamath River Community Hall, 19716 Highway 96, Klamath River.

Shelters

- Red Cross at Scott Valley Jr High School, located at 237 Butte Street, Ft Jones on Standby. For information regarding domestic pets, residents may call Jodi Aceves at 530-340-2422.

Road Closures

- None

Deployments

- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs assigned



FIRE ACTIVITY



KNF Beaver Incident, Siskiyou County Cont. (No Change)

Activations

- Siskiyou County EOC activated Level 1
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2, Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

Mission Tasking

- **2014-IREOC-4568**, (6) Portable E-BAM Smoke Monitors: (2) deployed on 8/4; (2) deployed on 8/5; (2) deployed on 8/12. The mission is ongoing and supports multiple fires within Siskiyou County.

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SRA

- [12,336](#) acres, [60%](#) contained
- Type 1 IMT is in command
- Expected Containment: [08/20/2014](#)
- On 08/08/14, a burnover occurred with a Type III Engine Company and a Type I Handcrew, resulting in 8 burn injuries. All injured were transported to the hospital, treated and released.
- Structure Threat: 16 Single Residences
- Complete line around any spot fires and mop up. Complete line in the Contingency Branch. Other areas of the fire are mopping up. Suppression repair efforts are being executed in Branch I and are beginning in Branch II.
- 10 OES and 126 Local Government Engines assigned
- Total Personnel – [1,922](#)

Evacuations/Shelters

- The Mandatory Evacuation Order has been lifted for Elk Creek, Tan Oak Park, Mad Creek, Bowman Ranch and Hunt Ranch; however, an evacuation warning remains in effect for these areas. An evacuation order is still in effect for the areas south of Hwy 101, west of Cummings Road to Leggett: areas of Hermitage, Big Bend, and Camp St. Michael.
- [The shelter at Leggett Valley School, 1 School Way, Leggett, CA, is now closed and animals have been reunited with their owners.](#)

Health/Medical

- An Air Quality Advisory has been issued for the Laytonville/Leggett area as the air is considered un-healthy

Deployments:

- Three (3) Cal OES PSC Radio Technicians are assigned to the incident.
- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs assigned.

Activations

- None

FIRE ACTIVITY



Lodge Complex, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County (No Change)

Proclamations

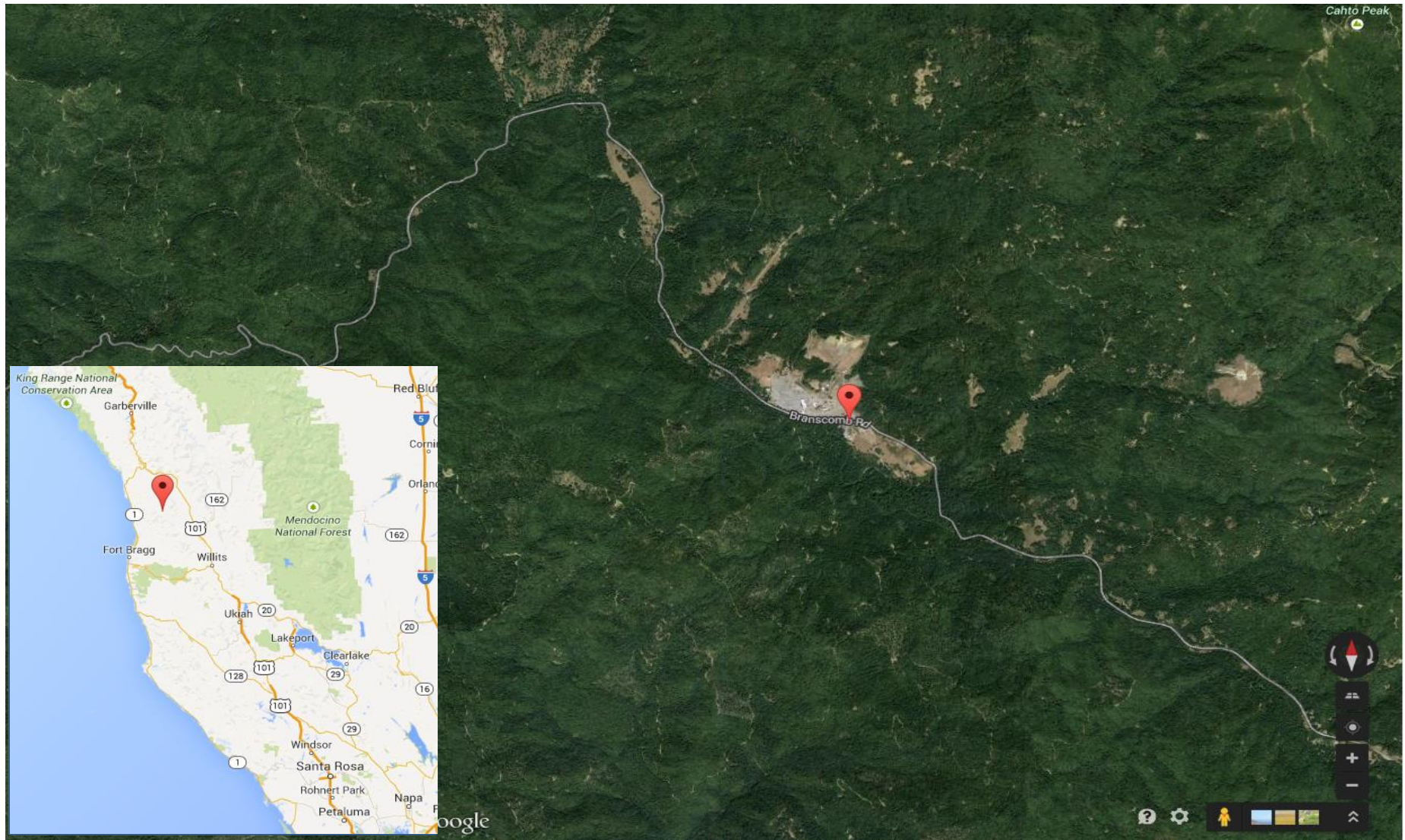
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Mission Tasking

- **2014-CREOC-4605**, Mendocino has requested a portable EBAM air monitoring unit from ARB to be set up at Laytonville Fire Department to measure air quality and particle matter from the Lodge fire.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Lodge Incident, Vegetation Fire, Mendocino County



BLM Hermitage Wilderness, 5 miles north of Branscomb



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Log, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County (Update)

6 miles west of Greenview

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Fire Information

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- Unified Command with CAL FIRE and Federal IMT Type 1
- Expected Containment: [08/17/2014](#)
- Threatened Structures: 637 Single Residences, 46 Nonresidential Commercial Properties, 568 Other Minor Structures
- Resources will continue to construct line, improve, burn out, hold, mop up and patrol lines. Continued mop-up and patrol will occur on the north flank. Direct attack tactics are being implemented on the south side of Mill Creek.
- [14](#) Local Government Engines assigned
- An FMAG was submitted on 08/11/14 and placed on hold
- Total Personnel - [712](#)

Emergency Management:

Evacuations/Shelters

- The Quartz Valley, Scott Valley, Mugginsville, Greenview, and South Kidder Creek remain under an Evacuation Advisory. Approximately 960 homes are affected by this advisory.
- Red Cross at Scott Valley Jr High School, located at 237 Butte Street, Ft Jones on Standby. [For information regarding domestic pets, residents may call Jodi Aceves at 530-340-2422.](#)

Health and Medical

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- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2, Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.
- The SOC is activated at Level 1.

Deployments

- Two (2) Cal OES Assistant Fire Chiefs assigned.

FIRE ACTIVITY



Log, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County Cont. (Update)

Mission Tasking

- **2014-IREOC-4568**, (6) Portable EBAM Smoke Monitors. (2) Units deployed 08/04, (2) Units deployed 08/05, and (2) deployed on 8/12 in Somes Bar and Happy Camp on Hwy 96, Klamath NF.

Proclamations:

- Siskiyou County proclaimed a local emergency on 08/02/14.

Recovery

- An Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator is working with Siskiyou County on the IDE.

There are currently no requests for assistance or unmet needs.

Log Incident, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County



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CAL OES ACTIVATIONS

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated at Level 2 in support of the Drought State of Emergency from 0800-1700 hours daily.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 2 from 0800-1700 Monday through Friday or as needed.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.
- The Santa Barbara County OA EOC is activated at Level 2 to be handled by the duty officer for the purpose of monitoring activities and gaining situational awareness. The operational period is Monday – Friday, 0800-1700 hours.

Situational Summary

On January 17, 2014 Governor Edmund G. Brown proclaimed a State of Emergency and directed state officials to take all necessary actions to prepare for drought conditions. The State Operation Center (SOC) is activated to implement objectives in support of the Governor's priorities. The lack of winter rain and snowfall has resulted in extremely dry conditions in many parts of the State. Reservoir levels are down significantly from where they should be on average for this time of year. If conditions continue severe impacts to municipal water supplies, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities are likely in store for the State over the next few months. Negative economic impacts will also result.

The drought could result in severe impacts to the municipal water supplies, wells, agriculture (plants and livestock) and firefighting capabilities for several months. The SOC continues to be activated to monitor the situation statewide, and support regional and local operational areas.

- Current Reservoir Levels continue to decline. Levels as of August 13th : Don Pedro 42%; Exchequer 18%; Folsom Lake 40%; Lake Oroville 33%; Millerton Lake 48%; New Melones 25%; Pine Flat 12%; San Luis 20%; Lake Shasta 32%; Trinity Lake 32%; Pyramid Lake 94%; and Castaic Lake 45%.

- Emergency Drinking Water Procurement and Distribution Planning Guidance (rev. May 2014)

Significant changes have occurred to the structure of California's state government organization. Rapid advances in systems, science, and technology have helped emergency managers improve coordination, forecasting, and situational awareness. Because of these changes, the *Multi-Agency Emergency Response Procedures for Potable Water Procurement & Distribution* document has been replaced by the *Emergency Drinking Water Procurement and Distribution Planning Guidance*. The intent of this guidance document is to clarify the roles and responsibilities of the stakeholders involved in locating, procuring, and delivery of emergency drinking water¹ to populations in California. Consequently creating a framework for agencies and organizations to work together to enhance preparedness.

- State Board Mandatory Conservation Regulations Now in Effect: The state's first-ever emergency regulations mandating urban water conservation became effective will be in effect until April 25, 2015.

http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterrights/water_issues/programs/drought/emergency_regulations_waterconservation.shtml

- The 2014 Governor Drought Task Force continues to meet regularly to take actions that conserve water and coordinate state response to the drought.

- Cal OES continues to gather drought-related costs from state agencies and local governments.

Drought Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

County Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations			
Inland Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Glenn	1/30/2014; 4/16/2014	State and Federal relief	3/10/2014
Kern	1/14/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/27/2014
Kings	1/14/2014	State and Federal assistance	7/31/2014
Madera	1/28/2014	No specific request	8/13/2014
Mariposa	5/13/2014	State and Federal assistance	8/6/2014
Merced	3/6/2014	No specific request	8/7/2014
Modoc	3/5/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
San Joaquin	1/28/2014	No specific request	5/21/2014
Shasta	5/15/2014	No specific request	7/29/2014
Siskiyou	3/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/17/2014
Sutter	2/11/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	6/2/2014
Trinity	8/5/2014	No specific request.	
Tulare	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	7/15/2014
Tuolumne	2/4/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	8/6/2014
Yuba	2/18/2014	Gubernatorial and Presidential	8/5/2014
Coastal Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Humboldt	7/1/2014	No specific request	8/13/2014
Lake	3/6/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Mendocino	1/7/2014	No specific request	
Napa	8/7/2014	No specific request	
Sonoma	2/25/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	
Southern Region			
County	Date Signed	Request	Reaffirmation Received
Inyo	1/28/2014	CDAA	
Santa Barbara	1/17/2014; 5/23/2014	No Specific request; CDAA	
San Luis Obispo	3/11/2014	CDAA and Federal assistance	



Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Inland Region		
City of Live Oak, Sutter	5/12/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Placer County Water Agency Placer	2/6/2014	Local conservation and funding measures
Twain Harte Community Services Dist Tuolumne	1/29/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Tule River Tribe Tulare	1/30/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Lake Don Pedro CSD, Mariposa, Tuolumne	2/18/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Lodi City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declare Local Emergency State/Fed assistance
Karuk Tribe Siskiyou, Humboldt	2/18/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Montague City, Siskiyou	4/14/2014	
Mountain House CSD, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Declaring Stage I Mandatory Water Conservation
Mariposa Public Utility District	2/4/2014	Enact District conservation measures
Nevada Irrigation District	5/13/2014	Adopting Stage II Drought Contingency Plan
Ripon City, San Joaquin County	7/1/2014	Mandatory Water Conservation
Tuolumne Utilities District	2/13/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Emergency
Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation, Yolo	3/25/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Cortina Rancheria Kletsel Dehe Band of Wintun Indians, Colusa County	7/7/2014	Declared drought emergency / instituting conservation measures.



Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations: (Cont.)

City / Tribe / Special District Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations:

Declarations/Resolutions/Proclamations		
City/Tribe/Special District		Request
Coastal Region		
Hoopa Valley Tribe Humboldt	1/20/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Yurok Tribe Del Norte, Humboldt	1/29/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
City of Willits Mendocino	1/7/2014	Declare a Phase V Water Emergency
Brooktrails Township Community Srvs Dist, Mendocino	1/7/2014	
City of Calistoga Napa	2/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of St. Helena Napa	1/28/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of American Canyon Napa	7/29/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
City of Rio Dell, Humboldt	7/17/2014	Declare a Stage III Water Shortage Emergency
City of San Juan Bautista	5/15/2014	Declare a Water Shortage Emergency
Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe, Mendocino	3/21/2014	Enact Tribal emergency authorities
Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria, Sonoma County	8/11/2014	Water Conservation Measures
Southern Region		
Carpinteria Valley Water District	2/12/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
Meiners Oaks Water District	3/4/2014	Declare a Stage II Water Emergency
Montecito Water District, Santa Barbara	2/11/2014	Declare a Water Emergency w/Conserv. measures
Goleta Water District	3/25/2014	Declare a Stage I Water Emergency
City of Santa Barbara	5/21/2014	Declare Stage II Water Emergency



County Drought Task Force Meetings

Information as of 8/14/14

County Drought Task Force Upcoming Meetings		
Inland Region		
County	Previous Meetings	Upcoming Meetings
Butte	8/4/2014	11/1/2014
Glenn	8/13/2014	8/28/2014
Humboldt	8/7/2014	TBD
Kern	5/15/2014	TBD
Kings	7/18/2014	8/27/2014
Madera	7/29/2014	TBD
Merced	7/10/2014	9/18/2014
Modoc	2/12/2014	TBD
Nevada	7/16/2014	TBD
Placer	3/12/2014	TBD
Plumas	8/5/2014	TBD
Sacramento	8/14/2014	TBD
San Joaquin	8/13/2014	TBD
Siskiyou	5/22/2014	TBD
Stanislaus	8/7/2014	TBD
Sutter	7/10/2014	8/14/2014
Tehama	5/19/2014	TBD
Tulare	7/14/2014	9/15/2014
Tuolumne	7/17/2014	8/21/2014
Yolo	8/7/2014	TBD
Coastal Region		
Hoopa Valley Tribe	6/18/2014	TBD
Lake	8/7/2014	TBD
Mendocino	7/31/2014	8/16/2014
Monterey	7/30/2014	TBD
Napa	5/28/2014	TBD
San Francisco	8/11/2014	TBD
San Mateo	7/29/2014	TBD
Southern Region		
Imperial County	8/14/2014	TBD
Orange	6/25/2014	TBD
San Luis Obispo	7/24/2014	8/20/2014
Santa Barbara	7/23/2014	8/20/2014



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CAL OES MISSIONS

New Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-4911**, The International Response and Coordination Center advises of a Delorme Activation sounding at 37° 6' 47" / 118° 36' 52" in Fresno County. The Cal OES Law Duty Officer is coordinating.
- **2014-LAW-4905**, On 08/14/14 at 1306 hours, the Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC), advised of a Personal Locator Beacon (PLB) sounding in the vicinity of Brito, Merced County. The Cal OES Law Duty Officer is coordinating.
- **2014-LAW-4901**, Napa County is requesting side scanning sonar capability to assist in the search for a victim of a boating accident believed to be submerged in Lake Berryessa. Santa Clara County has agreed to provide resources for the search which is planned for August 18. The Cal OES Law Duty Officer is coordinating.
- **2014-LAW-4897**, On 08/14/14 at 1113 hours, Butte County Sheriff's Office called requesting Area Search Dogs for a search in Paradise. They requested (2) trailing dogs and (2) support personnel to assist in the search for a mentally disabled adult female at a park. The female is 40 years old but has the mental capacity of a 2-3 year old. She is non verbal. She does not have any physical defects and is very mobile. The area is at 1500 foot elevation, with a combination of flat park setting and very rugged rock formations.
- **2014-LAW-4883**, On 08/14/14 at 0624 hours, the International Emergency Response Coordination Center (IERCC) advised of a Delorme SPOT activation at 37.16619 -118.691977, which plots to the 11,000 foot elevation of Kings Canyon National Park, near Evolution lake. The activation was for another hiker, a 59 year old male who was suffering extreme dizziness, believed to be caused by altitude sickness. He is unable to hike to a lower elevation. Kings Canyon dispatch advised. The Cal OES Law Duty is coordinating.

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2014-LAW-4877**, On 08/14/2014 at 0400 hours, Napa County Sheriff is requesting ground search personnel and ATVs from Solano County to assist in the search for a 55 year old male missing from a Veterans home in Yountville. The victim has been missing since 8/13/2014 at about 1330. He is insulin dependent and has missed several insulin injections. Napa County has already made arrangements with Solano County for the requested resources. **Update:** On 8/14/2014 at 0700, Napa requesting an additional 30 ground search personnel for an operational period to begin at noon on 8/14. Marin County and Contra Costa County agreed to provide resources. The victim was then located alive and well and all Mutual Aid resources were released. **Mission Closed.**



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